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Therefor

TC/A.U. : 2886

Examiner : Michael P. Stafira

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RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated June 4, 2008, in which the Examiner required an election of species, applicants herewith elect group I, for prosecution at this time. Claims 1-16, 44, 45, 53 read on the elected species.

In view of the foregoing, the early issuance of an Action on the merits, and the allowance of all of the claims is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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